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**PATENT** 

Customer Number 22,852

Attorney Docket No.: **06478.1442** 

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

	In re A	pplication of:	)
\ ≥I	Claude	NÉGRIER et al.	Group Art Unit: 1653
CATENI & THE	Serial 1	No.: 09/559,344	) ) Examiner: H. Schnizer
		April 27, 2000	) )
ì	For:	DNA CONSTRUCT FOR THE TISSUE- SPECIFIC EXPRESSION OF A BLOOD COAGULATION FACTOR	, ) )

## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of September 5, 2001. The items checked below are appropriate:

Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to respond to the above Office Action. The fee of \$920.00 for the Extension is enclosed.

The claims are calculated below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee		
Total	14	-	07	00	x \$ 18	\$ 0		
Indep.	03	-	01	00	x \$ 80	0		
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim(s) +\$270								
					Subtotal	\$ 0		
Reduction by ½ if small entity								
TOTAL								

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A check for \$920.00 to cover the above fee is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Dated: February 27, 2002

By:

Sanya Sukdaang